

<b>UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL</b> <small>(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))</small>	Attorney Docket No.	2562.SMII.NP
	First Inventor	Russell Steel et al.
	Title	OUT-OF-POSITION FRICTION STIR WELDING OF HIGH MELTING TEMPERATURE ALLOYS
	Express Mail Label No.	EL 967950316 US

## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

## ADDRESS TO:

Mail Stop Patent Application  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

- |  |  |
|--|--|
| <p>1. <input type="checkbox"/> Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)<br/><small>(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)</small></p> <p>2. <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status</p> <p>3. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Specification <small>[Total Pages <u>35</u>]</small><br/><small>(preferred arrangement set forth below)</small></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Descriptive title of the invention</li><li>- Cross Reference to Related Applications</li><li>- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R&amp;D</li><li>- Reference to sequence listing, a table, or computer program listing appendix</li><li>- Background of the Invention</li><li>- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)</li><li>- Detailed Description</li><li>- Claim(s)</li><li>- Abstract of the Disclosure</li></ul> <p>4. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) <small>[Total Sheets <u>19</u>]</small></p> <p>5. Oath or Declaration <small>[Total Pages <u>    </u>]</small></p> <p>a. <input type="checkbox"/> Newly executed (original or copy)</p> <p>b. <input type="checkbox"/> Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63 (d))<br/><small>(for continuation/divisional with Box 17 completed)</small></p> <p>i. <input type="checkbox"/> <u>DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)</u><br/>Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).</p> <p>6. <input type="checkbox"/> Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76</p> | <p>7. <input type="checkbox"/> CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)</p> <p>8. <input type="checkbox"/> Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission<br/><small>(if applicable, all necessary)</small></p> <p>a. <input type="checkbox"/> Computer Readable Form (CRF)</p> <p>b. Specification Sequence Listing on:</p> <p>i. <input type="checkbox"/> CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or</p> |
|--|--|
- ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS**

9. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))

10. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement ☐ Power of Attorney  
(when there is an assignee)

11. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)

12. ☐ Information Disclosure ☐ Copies of IDS  
Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Citations

13. ☐ Preliminary Amendment

14. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)  
(Should be specifically itemized)

15. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)  
(if foreign priority is claimed)

16. ☐ Nonpublication Request under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent.

17. ☐ Other:

17. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76:

☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP)

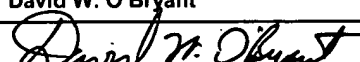
of prior application No.: 60/443,801

Prior application information:

Examiner

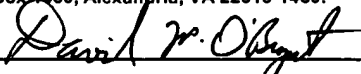
Group / Art Unit:

For CONTINUATION OR DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts.

<b>18. CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS</b>		<b>26986</b>		<input type="checkbox"/> or correspondence address	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Customer Number					
Name	David W. O'Bryant				
Address	MORRIS O'BRYANT COMPAGNI, P.C. 136 South Main Street, Suite 700				
City	Salt Lake City	State	Utah	Zip Code	84101
Country	United States	Telephone	(801) 478-0071	Fax	(801) 478-0076
Name (Print/Type)	David W. O'Bryant			Registration No.	39,793
Signature				Date	1/30/2004

## CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.10

I hereby certify that the items listed above in this transmittal sheet are being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 C.F.R. § 1.10 on the date indicated below and is addressed to: Mail Stop Patent Application, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

  
Name: David W. O'Bryant

1/30/2004  
Date of Deposit

EL 967950316 US

Express Mail No.